Hampton Police Division
Media Release
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Hampton, VA 23669

For Immediate Release   **December 28, 2015**

Suspect Arrested in Two Business Robbery Investigations:

900 Block of West Mercury Boulevard and 3300 Block of West Mercury Boulevard

The Hampton Police Division has arrested, **Kimberly Paul Barney**, in connection with two business robberies that occurred on December 25, 2015 and December 26, 2015.

On December 25, 2015 at 7:15 a.m., Hampton Police responded to the Walgreen's Pharmacy located in the 900 block of West Mercury Boulevard in reference to a robbery from business complaint. The investigation revealed that the suspect entered the business, implied she had a weapon, and demanded US currency. After taking an undisclosed amount of US currency, the suspect fled the business.

On December 26, 2015 at 4:59 p.m., Hampton Police responded to the Walgreen's Pharmacy located in the 3300 block of West Mercury Boulevard in reference to a robbery from business complaint. The investigation revealed that the suspect entered the business, implied she had a weapon, and demanded money. After taking an undisclosed amount of US currency, the suspect fled the business.

Kimberly Paul Barney, a 35-year-old Hampton woman with a last known address in the 1800 block of Summerville Drive, has been arrested in connection with this incident. She has been charged with two counts of Robbery, two counts of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony, and one count of Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle. She remains in custody at the Hampton City Jail.

Kimberly Paul Barney
ARRESTED

SPO Ashley Jenrette will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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